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**SUBMITTAL OF HANFORD FEDERAL FACILITY AGREEMENT AND CONSENT
ORDER (TRI-PARTY AGREEMENT) CHANGE REQUEST FOR THE M89-00 MAJOR
MILESTONE**

Enclosed is the U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office (RL) signed M89-00 Class I Tri-Party Agreement Change Request for your approval. The change request extends the due date of the milestone to allow for closure plan public comment review.

RL believes that the changes proposed to the Tri-Party Agreement Major Milestone, (M-089-05-01), met the public comment criteria established in the Tri-Party Agreement and associated Community Relations Plan. The subject of demolition of the 324 facility underwent public involvement during the development of the M 094-00 milestone series. The Parties Public Involvement Officers (PIO) reviewed the subject M-094-00 change package in accordance with the Tri-Party Agreement Action Plan, Section 10.0, Community Relations/Public Involvement, as well as the significance criteria within the Tri-Party Agreement Community Relations Plan and determined that the changes proposed are not significant and therefore, do not require public review. As a result, RL believes that the attached M89-00 Class I Tri-Party Agreement change package can be approved without going through a public comment period. A statement to that effect is attached as an enclosure to this letter for regulator concurrence.

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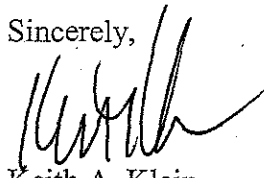
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The Parties remain vigilant in Hanford cleanup efforts to ensure that Hanford River Corridor cleanup is performed in an effective, efficient, and timely manner while mitigating risk to human health and/or the environment.

In accordance with the Tri-Party Agreement Action Plan, Section 12.0, Changes to the Agreement, the regulators have 14 days following receipt of the change packages to act on them. If you have any questions, please contact me, or your staff may contact Leif Erickson, Assistant Manager for the River Corridor, on (509) 376-7272.

Sincerely,



Keith A. Klein
Manager

AMRC:RFG

Enclosures

cc w/encls:

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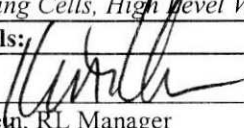
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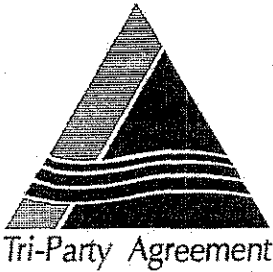
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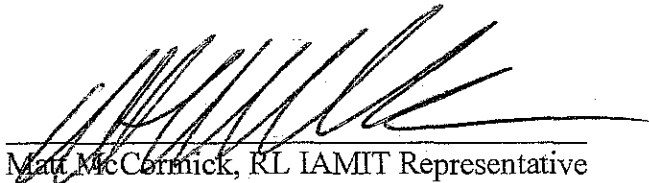
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Change Number	Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order		Date:	
M-89-05-01	Change Control Form Do not use blue ink. Type or print using black ink.		June 22, 2005	
Originator: K. A. Klein, RL/Dale Jackson, RL			Phone: 509-376-7395/509-376-8086	
Class of Change:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> I - Signatories		<input type="checkbox"/> II - Executive Manager		<input type="checkbox"/> III - Project Manager
Change Title:				
Extend completion Due Date for Hanford Federal Facility Agreement and Consent Order (Tri-Party Agreement) Major Milestone M-89-00				
Description/Justification of Change:				
This change package extends the due date of M89-00 major milestone six months to allow for closure plan public comment review.				
The scope of Tri-Party Agreement Major Milestone M-89-00 is to complete closure of non-permitted mixed waste units in the 324 Building as described in the <i>324 Building Radiochemical Engineering Cells, High Level Vault, Low-Level Vault, and Associated Areas Closure Plan, DOE/RL-96-73</i> (324 Building Closure Plan).				
In July 2002, an amendment to the 324 Building Closure Plan was prepared and submitted to Ecology. The amendment was approved by Ecology in December 2002. The purpose of the amendment was to change the existing path forward as described in the 324 Building Closure Plan from one of clean closure of the units to a path where the high risk materials and wastes are removed from the facility followed by complete disposition of the 324 Building. The amendment was incorporated into the body of the 324 Building Closure Plan and submitted to Ecology in January 2004. Revisions were incorporated into the Closure Plan and the plan is being evaluated and will go out for public comment.				
Modifications/deletions of existing milestones are denoted using strikeout ; additions are denoted with shading .				
Milestone Number	Title	Due		
M-89-00	<i>Complete Closure of Non-Permitted MW Units in the 324 Building REC B-Cell, REC D-Cell, and High Level Vault</i>	10/21/2005 04/30/2006		
Impact of Change:				
This change has no impact on the health and safety of workers or the environment. This change does not impact the scope of work defined by M-89-00.				
Affected Documents:				
The Tri-Party Agreement as amended and Hanford Site internal planning, management, budget documents (e.g., USDOE and USDOE contractor Baseline Change Control documents; Multi-Year Work Plan; Sitewide Systems Engineering Control Documents; Project Management Plans, and, if appropriate, LDR Report requirements) and the <i>324 Building Radiochemical Engineering Cells, High Level Vault, Low-Level Vault, and Associated Areas Closure Plan, DOE/RL-96-73</i> .				
Approvals:				
 K. A. Klein, RL Manager	7/12/05 Date	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved	
R A. Kreizenbeck, Acting Regional Administrator EPA	Date	<input type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved	
J. Manning, Ecology Director	Date	<input type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved	



Public Involvement Activities for Tri-Party Agreement Change Packages for the Complete Closure of
Non-Permitted MW Units in the 324 Building REC B-Cell, REC D-Cell, and High Level Vault (Tri-
Party Agreement Milestone M-089-00)

The State of Washington, Department of Ecology (Ecology), the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the U.S. Department of Energy, Richland Operations Office (RL), hereinafter referred to as the Parties, met to determine if the changes proposed to Tri-Party Agreement Major Milestone - M-089-00 (Tri-Party Agreement change package M-89-05-01) meet the public comment criteria established in the Tri-Party Agreement and associated Community Relations Plan. The Parties Public Involvement Officers reviewed the subject Tri-Party Agreement change package in accordance with the Tri-Party Agreement Action Plan, Section 10.0, *Community Relations/Public Involvement*, as well as the significance criteria within the Tri-Party Agreement Community Relations Plan and determined that the changes proposed are not significant and therefore, do not require public review. As a result, the Class I Tri-Party Agreement change package will be approved without going through a public comment period.


Matt McCormick, RL IAMIT Representative


Date

Nick Ceto, EPA IAMIT Representative

Date

Mike Wilson, Ecology IAMIT Representative

Date